

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with John Preta on 06 October 2010.

The application has been amended as follows:

Claims 12, 13, 16-18, 20-25 and 28-33 have been cancelled.

Claim 14 has been amended as follows:

14. (Currently Amended) ~~The~~ A relockable, rectangular-shaped folding box ~~of claim 12,~~
comprising:

a first side panel having a perforated zone formed therein;

a second side panel opposing said first side panel;

a pair of opposing lateral side panels connecting said first side panel to said second side panel;

a bottom closure comprising two bottom closing flaps and two bottom dust flaps;

a top closure comprising at least one top closing flap two top dust flaps;

an insertion tab hinged to one of said lateral side panels and fixedly attached to the perforated zone formed in said first side panel such that upon removal of the perforated zone, the insertion tab remains fixedly attached to the perforated zone and said box is relockable by

insertion of said insertion tab into said box, wherein said top and bottom dust flaps are attached to the same lateral side panel as the insertion tab and have rounded edges; and

a two-layer hanger comprising a first hanging tab comprising an aperture and a second hanging tab comprising an aperture, wherein said first and second hanging tabs are hinged to a top of either said first side panel or said second side panel and operatively positioned for pressing together such that the apertures of the hanging tabs substantially coincide to form the two-layer hanger.

Claim 26 has been amended as follows:

26. (Currently Amended) ~~The~~ A ~~relockable, rectangular-shaped folding box of claim 22,~~
comprising:

a first side panel;

a second side panel opposing said first side panel;

a pair of opposing lateral side panels connecting said first side panel to said second side panel;

a bottom closure comprising two bottom closing flaps and two dust flaps;

a top closure comprising a top closing flap and two dust flaps;

a two-layer hanger comprising a first hanging tab comprising an aperture and a second hanging tab comprising an aperture, wherein said first hanging tab is hinged to a top of one of said first and second side panels, and said second hanging tab is hinged to said first hanging tab, said hanging tabs operatively positioned for pressing together such that the aperture of each hanging tab substantially coincide to form the two-layer hanger; and

an insertion tab hinged to one of said lateral side panels and fixedly attached to a perforated zone formed in one of said first and second side panels such that upon removal of the perforated zone, the insertion tab remains fixedly attached to the perforated zone and said box is rlockable by insertion of said insertion tab into said box, wherein said top and bottom dust flaps attached to the same lateral side panel as the insertion tab have rounded edges.

Examiners Comment

The restriction requirement of 03 November 2005 is withdrawn in light of the fact that allowable claims 14 and 26 as amended in the Examiners Amendment read upon all the claimed species of the application.

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